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**RE: Application No. 09/587,092
Docket No.: VISAP026****MESSAGE: Attached please find the following documents for filing in the
above-referenced application:**

- 1) Amendment Transmittal (1pg)
- 2) Reply (11 pgs) in response to the Office Action dated December 1, 2005
to which a response is due March 1, 2006.

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Hoffman et al.

Attorney Docket No.: VISAP026

Application No.: 09/587,092

Examiner: BORLINGHAUS, Jason M.

Filed: May 31, 2000

Group: 3628

Title: SMART CARD TRANSACTIONS USING
WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS
NETWORK

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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- ☐ Applicant(s) hereby petition for a _____ month extension(s) of time to respond to the aforementioned Office Action.
- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.
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- ☒ Please charge the required fees, or any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. VISAP026).

Respectfully submitted,
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 1, 2005, a response to which is due
March 1, 2006, please enter the following amendments and remarks: